

IN THE LORD'S SERVICE – THANK YOU

	This Week	Next Week
Service Leader	Glenda	Robert OC
Music Leader	Rea	David
Bible Reader	Brendon	Alvin
Ushers	Tony Wai, Matthew	Janet, Avey
Techno	Michael/TBA	Mel/Robert
Cup of Tea	Suan, Eva, Janet	Soo Land, George L. Glenda
Dishes		

HOME GROUPS

	Leader	Meeting time	Location
COLLEGE & CAREERS GROUP	Pr Mark Maney	Every Wednesday @ 6.30pm	@ ACPC 021 309 544
GREENLANE GROUP	George Lowe	Thursday fortnightly @ 8pm	@ Glenda Choy's 021 739 838 (George)
LADIES GROUP	Glenda Choy	Wednesday fortnightly @ 10.30am	@ Glenda Choy's 524 9391
NEWMARKET GROUP	Robert O'Callahan	Every Tuesday @ 7.30pm	@ 5 Short St. Newmarket (Mozilla Office) 021 783 289
REMUERA GROUP	Ken Cheung	2 nd and 4 th Saturday @ 10am	@ Quin Gee's Contact Ken 021 431 607
ST HELIERS GROUP	Marty Bing	Tuesdays fortnightly @ 8pm	@ Marty Bing's 021 753 406
CANTONESE GROUP	Albert Ko	Saturdays fortnightly @ 4 pm	See noticeboard for more details on the Cantonese and Mandarin home groups
ALBANY CANTONESE GROUP	Peter Zen & Edith Poon	1st & 3rd Friday @ 8pm	
MASSEY CANTONESE GROUP	Rev M Tang	1st & 3rd Wed @ 10am	

AUCKLAND CHINESE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

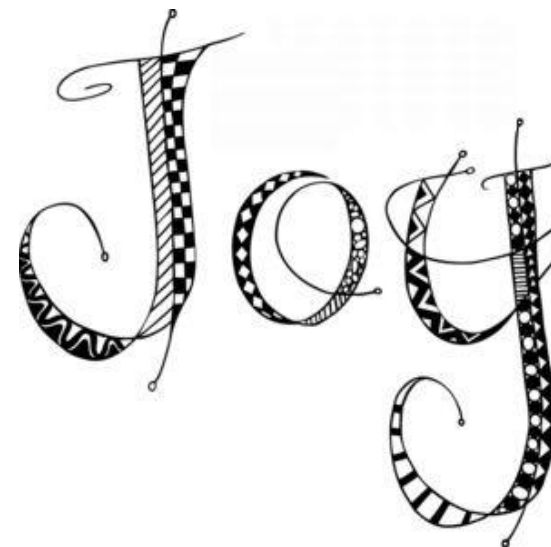
105 Vincent Street, Auckland City



ENGLISH MINISTRY SERVICE

21st December, 2014

Speakers: Pastor Mark Maney
Sermon Title: Tidings of Great Joy
Sermon Passage: Luke 2:8-20



*A warm welcome to everyone, especially visitors to the service today!
 Please join us for morning tea after the service.*

PRAYERS

- Rev Tang and Pr Mark's ministry at ACPC – for wisdom in leading the Cantonese Ministry and English Ministry to spiritual growth and dedication to their mission and vision
- Our church – that members grow in their walk with God and live a Christ-like life of love, patience and encouragement towards each other and all people.
- For unsettled areas of conflict in Iraq, Ukraine, Syria, and other parts of the world.
- For the ongoing Ebola Outbreak – for the individuals and nations affected by it and those working to bring it to an end.
- For the important decisions facing our congregations and church leaders as we seek God's guidance for changing needs.

CHRISTMAS DAY SERVICE AND LUNCH

There will be an EM service in the hall and a CM service in the chapel at 10am on Christmas Day (please note the earlier time). The services will be followed by a combined morning tea and potluck lunch. Please bring a plate of cooked food (no frozen items) – the oven in the kitchen is for reheating only. Please also pre-cut dessert items to speed up preparation time on the day.



The EM is responsible for running the Christmas Day morning tea and lunch. Jean has set up a roster on the back table. Please can you put your name down in the section you will be able to help: e.g. serve morning tea (no food is required - only drinks), set up tables and chairs in the hall, warm up the food in the kitchen, set out the small plates, serviettes, crockery and cutlery and bring out the food.

At the end, clear the empty plates, wash the dishes, wipe the dishes, stack the tables and chairs in the hall and tidy the kitchen. Let's work as a team and really celebrate the Christmas spirit together.

Family and friends are welcome to join us for the service and meal. Christmas worship in the EM service will be provided by Charlotte's parents, Harry and Vera Dickau, who will be visiting from India.

POTLUCK AND GAMES NIGHT



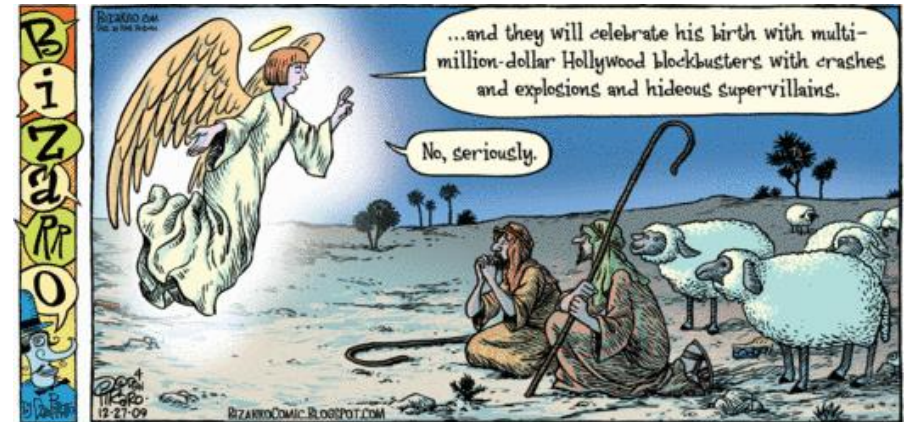
Our monthly potluck dinner and games night is back on! Come to church **next Sunday, the 28th of December**, for a relaxed evening of fun and food. We'll be starting with dinner at 6pm with games to follow. Bring a plate to share and your favourite game to play.

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS CHRISTMAS

- **The First Sunday in Advent: Christmas Parade on Vincent Street** – 30th November
- **The Second Sunday in Advent: Baptisms! Deadline for Festive Fare donation** – 7th December
- **The Third Sunday in Advent: Youth and Children Christmas Service** – 14th December
- **Open-house Christmas Tea at the Manse** – Saturday 20th December from 2:00-6:00
- **The Fourth Sunday in Advent: Communion Sunday** – 21st December
- **Christmas Day Service and joint Christmas Lunch** – 25th December!!!!
- **Monthly Potluck Dinner** – 28th December



SERMON NOTES



IMPORTANT CHURCH CONTACT INFORMATION

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